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I have been for + last week expect-
to receive a letter from you. But none has yet come,
& as I have an opportunity to send you a line, & have thought
it best to write. I sent you a letter about a month
since by Mr Williams, with bills in it to + amount
of 65 dollars I think, which I trust you rec^d by +
hands of Mr ^{Williams} Thorne; which with dividends ^{from bank} & interest
~~of dividends~~ would make nearly 100 doll. I rec^d a letter
from you while at Farmington, speak^g of insurance
stock &c. & inquiring where you should buy a share
or 2 in bank. On my return here, in haste, I sent
you a paper with + inscription, "1 Sh. Merch^{ts}," & I
had not time then to write a letter. I supposed that
you would understand it, that I preferred one share
more in + Merchants Bank. I thought it doubtful
whether I could easily get 50 doll. more at once so as to
buy 2 shares of + Farmers Bank. And as I wished so small
an investment, I thought I might be best to have
it all in + same Bank, + Merchants. I have thought
it possible that + reason I have not heard from you,
is, that you have not been able to procure a single share
of + Merchants bank. If there is any such difficulty,
I have no objection to your taking 2 shares of + Farmers
Dr. Porter was on at Conisbury last week, & preached a
capital sermon at + ordination of ^{Walter} Clarke one of our
townsmen. The new & neat church at Unionville in
Farmington, is soon to be dedicated, & Richard Woodruff, ^{now} of
S. Brookfield Mass is to be installed in it. I attend an ordinaⁿ
in Plainfield to day. Should like to attend y^r anniversary this week.
Not improbably I may be in Boston about + middle of June, & if so, shall
call on you. Write soon as convenient. Y^r cordially. G. J. Tillotson

answered.

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